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SIR:

Applicants hereby submit proposed drawing changes to Figures 2 and 3 of the present specification in duplicate. The proposed changes comply with the suggestions made by the Examiner in the Official Action of September 20, 1997. Favorable consideration is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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